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(X) An extension of time to respond for 3 month(s) is hereby requested.
Time Extension Fee:

(x) three months (\$460 small entity)

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CLAIMS AS FILED						
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Total Claims	20	—	15	= 0 ×	\$9	= \$0
Independent Claims	2	—	1	= 0 ×	\$42	= \$0
If application has been amended to contain multiple dependent claim(s), then add					\$140	= \$0
Time Extension Fee						\$460
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$460.00

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